

WILLIAMS**Application No. 09/171,921****March 29, 2005****REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The Examiner is thanked for extending the courtesy of telephone interviews to Applicant's representative on March 25, 2005 and March 28, 2005.

Currently, claims 9-31, 77-79, 81-89 and 91 are pending in this application.

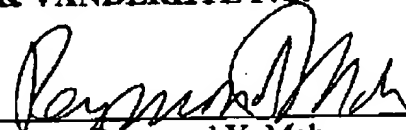
By this Amendment, claims 90 and 92 have been canceled without prejudice and the recitation of "may be selected" in claims 9 and 81 has been editorially changed to "is selectable." As discussed in the interview, all of the pending claims are now allowable.

Applicant believes that this entire application is in condition for allowance and respectfully requests a notice to this effect. If the Examiner has any questions or believes that an interview would further prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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